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Mission Statement: Bringing value and innovation to Utah through service and technology.



There are three emerging issues in business automation and technology.

- 1. Technological advances are reshaping the global landscape. Global competition has shifted as a result of high speed communication advances and maturity in basic information technology support structures, affording constituents better access to government services.
- 2. The role of Information Technology is shifting toward business automation. Basic services are becoming a commodity as information technology infrastructure matures. Future value will be in expertise in cross boundary facilitation and business reengineering. IT leadership will shift toward a business-centric role.
- 3. Core Information Technology Services are maturing. Basic services such as network communications, desktop support, and data center services are maturing and focusing on technologies that drive reliability in a cost effective manner.





Governance

- Enable constituents to access government services directly and improve the perception of government by aligning information services to customer requirements with an intuitive, non-technical approach
- Facilitate the development of high speed networks in Utah across all levels and branches of government
- Continue to facilitate cross-government cooperation in: 1) information technology infrastructure opportunities that enhance efficiency across branches and levels of government, and 2) business process integration and improvement for government programs
- Develop strategic partnerships with state government leaders in automating processes that help achieve maximum value of government programs
- Continue to develop and foster a business-oriented role across the organization, with technology providing the tools to support business
- Assist agencies to effectively implement initiatives that better leverage their data assets to drive business decisions and operations
- Manage service levels by defining service targets to achieve agency needs
- Leverage the economies of scale with an enterprise-wide approach to managing core assets
- Research industry best practices for securing enterprise infrastructure
- Continue optimization by providing consolidated services that will enhance efficiencies by aligning IT resources, and improve effectiveness by delivering services with the best resources available